



Attorney, 5532-6

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Yutaka MIYASAKA et al.

Serial No.: 10/648,492

Filed: August 25, 2003

For: Image Forming Apparatus

Examiner: GLEITZ, R.M.

Group Art: 2852

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on
February 18, 2005
(Date of Deposit)

Thomas Langer

Name of applicant, assignee or Registered Representative

Thomas Langer
Signature

February 18, 2005

Date of Signature

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

SIR:

This is in response to the Office Action dated November 18, 2004, setting a statutory period for response expiring February 18, 2005. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.